



What Altar Servers Think About Their Ministry - 2008

Here's what the Altar Servers had to say in 2008! These are comments taken from the 2008 'Altar Server Ministry Report Card' – where the Altar Server kids got to fill out a report card on the *adults* in the Altar Server Ministry. ☺

I like being an Altar Server because:

- It's fun to help!
- It is good for the soul.
- I like to go to church.
- I am using a talent that God gave me.
- I learn more about God and how to serve God.
- I like participating in the Mass and making new friends.
- I get to see my friends and learn about the Mass.
- I like to help the Church
- It helps me to learn about the Mass.
- I like to help the Church and it helps to increase my faith.
- I love helping my Church and God.
- I think I get closer to God.
- I like to go to church and earn community service hours.
- It is fun and respectful towards God.
- I get to be a part of Mass!

What about the Altar Server Meetings?

- Most of the time I learn something new and we do lots of activities.
- I learn a lot of new things and the meetings help me every time I'm there.
- Sometimes we repeat the same things at different meetings.
- We get to do activities – like roast marshmallows!
- The meetings help me to learn how to be an Altar Server.
- The Altar Server Meetings are really, really fun.
- The meetings help me to remember what I need to do.
- I get to learn about the Bible and other Church stuff.
- The meetings are especially fun when we play games!
- I learn about the names of items we use when serving.
- Meetings are fun because we might play games and get treats.
- We go on field trips and play games.
- I like to play games and get prizes.

About the Altar Server Manual:

- The manual helps me when I'm confused.
- It explains things so I can understand.

Being an Altar Server helps me at Mass because:

- I listen to the Mass much better.
- I am part of the Mass.
- I get to go to Mass more and learn about God.
- I feel being an Altar Server gets me into Mass more.
- I get to learn about the Mass more.
- I think it's important that the Altar Servers set a good example.
- I have actually learned to like Mass and it feels nice to help.